Health and Beauty

The Nervous Modern Child

If this restless age does not soon come to an end, the world will be crowded with physical and mental wrecks.

Children were formerly kept comparatively quiet during infancy and childhood. They were also put to bed early at night. During the day they played with a few simple toys or romped in the gardens or under the trees.

Today, their nurseries are fitted up with every kind of contraption intended to amuse and interest them. Ambitious mothers try to teach them to fit maps and puzzles together as a very tender age. As soon as they begin to toddle, they play in the streets where life is a constant source of danger.

Poor little things dart back and forth on treacherous skates, and scooters, escaping automobiles, looking and listening at every turn for the juggernauts of death that strike so swiftly, maiming or killing. They are tense and on the quivive every moment, for they cannot romp, skate and play where deadly machines dart back and forth without realizing that at any moment they may be crushed under a truck, automobile or motorcycle.

When they go to school, the work is of necessity under our public school system, so arranged that a certain amount must be covered in a given time. They are still further stimulated by the offering of various awards or distinction if they attain certain standards.

The result is that some children easily reach the coveted goal while others who may have tried equally as hard and failed, feel bitter and keen disappointment which is further aggravated into resentment against the teacher who is in no way to blame.

If you enter a moving picture theatre where there is a show of a character which is most exciting, filled with fighting and dangerous. hair-breath escapes, you will find the place with children of all ages, squealing, yelling, and otherwise giving vent to their excited pent-up emotions.

Do you wonder that nervousness is increasing among children? It is a disease that is growing by leaps and bounds. The nervous child unless placed in the proper environment and treated as he should be, will grow up into a neurasthenic, delinquent or psychoneurotic. He may untimately land in an insane asylum. The latter institutions are becoming so overcorwded that at the present rate of increase in their population, in a few years the sane, normal people that are left will be unable to bear the burden of the unfit.

GOLDEN GLEAMS

It is the great end of education to raise ourselves above the vulgar. —Richard Steele.

The great secret of education is to direct vanity to proper objects. — Adam Smith

Education makes a people easy to lead but difficult to drive; easy to govern, but impossible to enslave. —Henry Broughham.

The things taught in schools and colleges are not an education but the means of education. —R. W. Emerson.

A child's eduaction should begin at least one hundred years before he was born. —O. W. Holmes.

Education is a process of driving a set of prejudices down your throat. —Martin H. Fischer.

GI'S MARRY

London.- United States servicemen are marrying British girls at the rate of 250 a month. There are now 85,000 American men, women and children in Britain.

Homemakers Items

Many window defects can be cured by proper curtaining, says Miss Ruth Jamison, house furnishings specialist at V. P. I.

For instance, on windows too high and narrow for the wall, extend the draperies out over the wall at each side of the window. Use a valance that comes down slightly below the window sash. Use sill-length curtains or draperies. Place a piece of furniture under the window.

The appearance of a window too short and wide can be improved by bringing the draperies slightly over the window at each side, and keeping them within a narrow space. Use a wide valance, carried up above the casing onto the wall. Let the draperies hang to the floor if possible; and if there is no radiator beneath the window, the curtains also can reach the floor. A vertical striped pattern will carry the eye upward, accenting the vertical dimension.

A favorite placement of windows in recent years is three windows in a series. Curtain them as a unit. If tie-back curtains are used, place them only at the end windows, or if the criss-cross curtain is used, bring it across the entire unit of three windows. Draperies and valance, if used, should also enclose the entire unit.

If a dormer window does not completely occupy the horrizontal space of the dormer, a drapery can be used to fill the space from window to enclosing wall at each side; but if the window completely fills the dormer from wall to wall, abandon the idea of using drapery. Choose a simple curtain arrangement. A dormer window is inset and its light is partly cut off from the ... keep it lightly clothed.

Straight-hung curtains ... in a bay than tie-backs. The ... can be tie-back, if prefer... use of valance or cornice i... quired, but if one is to ... extend it across the fron... bay, rather than around th... dows, and hang the dra... frame the bay itself.

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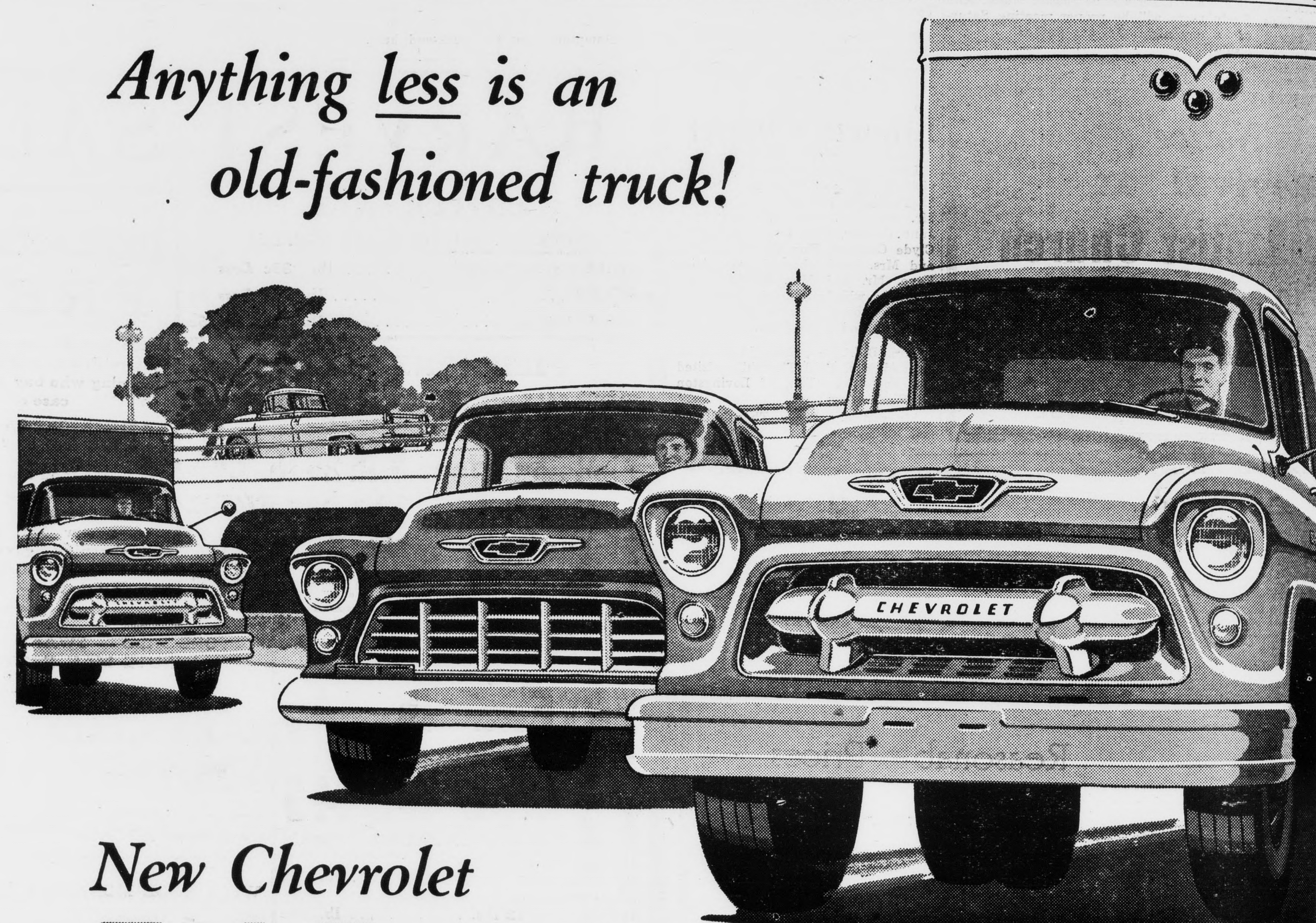

Chevrolet Truck Work Styling is well illustrated in these four models ranging from the Low Cab Forward and Cameo Carrier at left to the pickup and tractor-trailer unit at right.

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FARM NEWS

By Jim Smith
County Agent

Sudan Grass

...y of the farmers in Appomat... ...nty have seeded Sudan grass ...mer for supplementary graz... ...s the fall season approaches, ...d just like to warn those who ...planted it to graze it down ...to frost as Sudan grass as ...sorghums have a high per... ...of prussic acid after frost. ...fore, do not graze Sudan or ...ms after frost has fallen. ...er, if the Sudan grass is as ...as 18 inches tall when frost ...it may be cut immediately for ...silage.

Care of Bees

...fall of the year is one of the ...we like to pay particular at... ...to bees. There are several ...we might like to consider do... ...One is to unite weak colonies ...strong ones or provide new ...in colonies with an abun... ...of bees but an old queen, and ...two quarts of sugar to one of ...to all colonies not weighing ...60 pounds. And, of course, re... ...the entrances so that you can ...out mice and cold winter winds ...get into the hive. A way of ...this, too, is to provide a wind... ...of some type or another. ...lks stacked behind the hives and start considering its use on make an excellent temporary windbreak.

These practices will insure a higher yield of honey the following year.

Hybrid Grain Sorghums

A new hybrid seed that will be on the market next year in limited quantities for growers is hybrid grain sorghum. In the next five years, it is expected that more than ten million acres now annually planted in open-pollinated varieties of grain sorghums may be planted to the new superior hybrids. Experimental work shows that these hybrids will yield 20 to 40% over the open-pollinated kinds. This is a gain at least equal to the gain that farmers obtain from hybrid corn.

Some characteristics of the new hybrids are: dwarfed stalk, making the plant easier to harvest and handle and less of a drain on plant food and water; straightening up of the goosenecked head, and also a handling advantage; brought out varieties resistant to rootrot; and, very important, they cut down on the time of maturing.

Those farmers in Appomattox County who do not plant grain sorghum for poultry and swine feed will be interested in following the work done with the hybrid varieties their farms another year with this increase in yield that will be realizable.

Lynchburg Feeder Calf Sale

On Thursday, Sept. 29, the annual feeder calf sale will be held at the Lynchburg Livestock Market. Since many of the farmers in Appomattox County are interested in beef cattle production, they will be interested in visiting this sale and following the prices that the steers may bring. Many of the producers no doubt noted at the Orange Sale this past week that the calves sold for $24.75—the high pen, that is several cents average above the previous years. So it looks like the feeder calf prices will not be as low as last year and chances of some increase in prices.

Water Under Pressure Valuable On Farms

Here's a question for you! What is your most valuable use of electricity in the home or on the farm—the one that means the most to you? Some will answer—electric lights. Others will say the home food freezer, the water heater, the milking machine, and a dozen other uses of electricity. But many of you will agree that the electric pump tops them all—that it saves more labor and provides more conveniences than any other use of electricity on the farm. If it came down to a choice of one or the other, many rural folks would take their electric pump in preference to electric lights. That is how they feel about the value of water under pressure.

Then you may say—"well, doesn't just about everybody have a pressure water system?" Unfortunately, the answer is no. Here in Appomattox County, 98 per cent of our farms have electricity but only 28 per cent of them have water under pressure. In fact, we have about 682 farms in this county which do have electricity but which don't have water under pressure. The folks on these 682 farms are still pumping and carrying water by hand.

If your farm is one of these 682 have you ever stopped to figure how much time your family is spending pumping and carrying water? If not, check the time it takes to get water for a single day. Then multiply that figure by the number of days in the year. The result will amaze you. Let's assume you find that your family is spending 500 hours per year to pump and carry water. How much would that labor amount to in terms of productive farm work? Well, that is enough labor to care for 10 steers and 100 laying hens for an entire year—and we can throw in as a bonus labor to grow and harvest 10 acres of hay.

Aside from saving labor, water under pressure has another advantage,too. Think of such conveniences as a kitchen sink, a bathroom, and a modern laundry. In fact, you cannot have a modern home without first getting your water supply under pressure. And don't forget that health conditions are much better.

Now let's look again at farm production. Not only can you have hours of labor spent getting water by hand but you can have more water where you need it. And that will mean more efficient production. For example, plenty of water for poultry and livestock can mean more eggs, more milk and faster gains for hogs and beef cattle. And if you have a good source of water, your automatic electric pump will supply enough water to irrigate the farm garden. Garden watering can mean more vegetables and vegetables of better quality.

When you add up all the benefits it is hard to figure how you can afford to be without water under pressure.

Hixburg

Hixburg, Sept. 26.- Mr. Edward Woolridge has returned to the Medical College of Virginia, where he is a junior in the class of Dentistry.

Kinckle Martin was taken to the Lynchburg General Hospital last Wednesday night, to be treated after being kicked on the leg by a cow. His condition is much improved..

Mr. and Mrs. Hans van Ness Allen, of Tulsa are expected at his river home the first of October.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Anderson and Miss Rena Parks, of Chilhowie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Agee Glover last week.

Pfc. Martin Glover, mechanical engineer, is now stationed on Bathin Island near Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Watkins McPhillips in Richmond. Mrs. McPhillips has accepted a secretarial position with a Richmond insurance compcny.

Mr. Henry Covington plans to attend the Richmond Fair this week Earl Covington, a 4-H member, won a prize on his pig entry at the Farmville fair.

GUN KILLS SISTER, 8

Oak Grove, La.- Donald Dupree, 11, left the house to join his family in the cotton field when he suddenly remembered he had left a 22-calibre rifle within easy reach of an 8-year old sister, Nona. He ran back to put the weapon away, and stumbled over a chair. The gun discharged and his sister fell dead with a bullet in her head. The death was ruled accidental.

Around Your Home

By Frances Dell

A new device for home use is the fly-charmer. It is designed for use in any room of the house or outdoors. It is a small red and white plastic dispenser with a pylon arrangement rising out a flower pot shaped vase.

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COLLECTS STAMPS 18 YEARS

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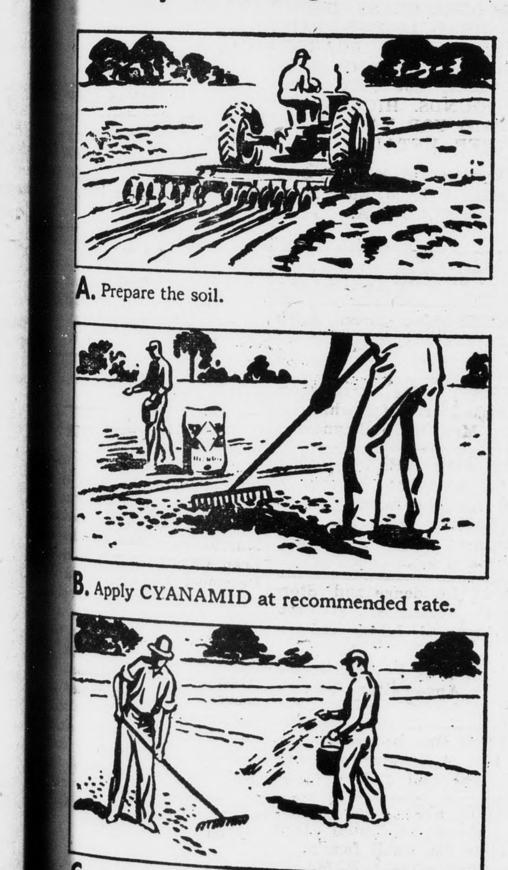

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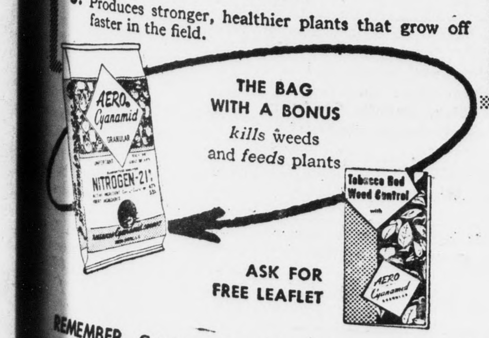

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